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NANAIMO NEWS.

Installation of Officers.—Shooting in the City Limits—A Reality.

NANAIMO, July 18.—At the regular meeting of Myrtle Lodge, K. of P., the following officers were duly installed by District Deputy Grand Chancellor, W. K. Leighton, assisted by resident Past Chancellors. Chas. Hardy, Past Chancellor; Thos. Dixon, Chief Chancellor; W. Poole, Vice Chancellor; John Graham, Prelate; E. W. Case, M. of E.; A. Shaw, M. of F.; J. Shaw, K. of R. & S.; J. Richards, M. at A.; W. Van Houten, J. G.; A. Randle, O. G.

WILL INSPECT THEIR PROPERTY.

The Texada Gold and Silver Mining Company contemplate chartering a steamer to convey the whole of the shareholders to the Island where they will be enabled to inspect the various properties held by them. It is stated the company have received an offer and before committing themselves they will investigate how far the advantage should be on both sides. A number of fine specimens of ore were brought down yesterday and it is averred there is a ledge of four feet thickness which will pay anyone to work.

INDISCRIMINATE SHOOTING.

Reports are received here of the careless firing of pistol shots at Wellington on Monday night, and the question is naturally asked "What are the police doing?" The following night the firing was again heard and it is fortunate no persons were hurt, as during the present season the Wellington road is greatly travelled. It is presumed the firing was done by some of the hoodlum colored men who had been out on a sort of jollification. However the police should attend to the matter, as it is not the first time the offence has occurred.

A REALITY.

The people of Duncan's look upon the report of the finding of two nuggets there as a reality, and the visitor may at almost any time, see a number of men carrying dirt to the river side for the purpose of washing it, in order to find some of the golden treasure. In Nanaimo the affair is looked upon as a rich joke, but the people who visited Duncan's yesterday state everybody is in earnest there.

LITTLE EVENTS.

Mr. A. Haslam has purchased a valuable piece of property from Mr. J. Mahrer, situated on Mill street, which will enlarge his premises.

Mr. J. Mahrer is having plans prepared for the extension of the opera house, which will be undertaken at an early date.

The Y. M. C. A. cyclists had a good time at their picnic held in Cedar District on Thursday.

The steamer Queen arrived here this morning but brings no news of any consequence.

Pauper Jews to be Returned.

NEW YORK, July 18.—Thirty-one Russian Jews were yesterday excluded from landing at the barge office on the ground that they were likely to become a public charge. Twenty-three of the immigrants were brought by the steamer Maasdam, from Rotterdam, five came on the Circassia, from Glasgow, and the three others were brought by the Netherland line. Three contract laborers were also detected among the immigrants landed yesterday, and they will probably be returned by the ships which brought them.

Merchants' Luncheon.

From 11:30 until 2 o'clock and Lowenbrau at the Bank Exchange.

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DAMAGING EVIDENCE.

THOS. McGREEVY'S SUBSIDY FOR THE STEAMER ADMIRAL.

The Dominion Government Paid him $12,500 per Year—Ex-Warden of the Stoney Mountain Penitentiary Dead—Interesting News From Different Parts.

Special to the Times.]

OTTAWA, July 18.—The remains of Col. Bedson, ex-Warden of Stoney Mountain Penitentiary, Manitoba, who died yesterday of a paralytic stroke, were forwarded from here to Winnipeg for interment to-day.

At the Tarte investigation yesterday afternoon, Julian Chabot, manager of the steamer Admiral, swore that Thos. McGreevy, the principal owner of the boat up to February last, had received an annual subsidy from the Dominion of $12,500 for the last nine years.

Mr. Ross (Dundas) will ask the House to take steps to remedy the evil resulting from the mutilated silver coin in circulation.

A New Route for Excursionists.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., July 18.—Stuker Bros., druggists, and men of some means and big backing, want to put a line of boats on the Green, Grand and Colorado rivers. They have organized a company with $250,000 capital after figuring and prospecting two years. They plan an excursion route, the start to be made at Green River, Utah, and the end and feature to be a trip through the Grand Canyon of the Colorado, explored twenty years ago by Major Lowell and in 1889 by Frank V. Brown. Lives were lost both times. Brown and Stanton, his engineer, believed a railway through the canyon quite feasible. The new company is in earnest. It is their purpose to arrange for portage around the dangerous falls and eddies. The company has a party in the field now.

Whiskey Men in Trouble.

ST. LOUIS, July 18.—Heavy seizures of whiskey were made here to-day by United States revenue officers sent direct from Washington, who have been on a still hunt here for some time. The whiskey seized belonged to the Nelson Distilling Company, A. Scharff, John Bordenheimer, and several other well-known liquor houses, and before to-morrow night, when the raid will cease, a dozen or more firms will have become involved. The grounds upon which the seizures are being made are the changing and defacing of government brand marks upon barrels of whiskey sold to retail customers after its proof has been stamped and certified to by the government.

Big Fire in California.

PASS ROBLES, Cal., July 18.—A fire broke out in the Palace Saloon building, in San Miguel, owned by D. Spyer of this place, which amounted to a total loss of about $80,000. The fire was a very hot and quick one, and before much could be done the whole Farmers' Union block, owned by Courter & Reed, was consumed. This company sustained a loss of $15,600 insured for $8,500. It is supposed to have been the work of incendiaries.

Did He Own Her?

SAN FRANCISCO, July 18.—Lee Wong Wing when called up for sentence this morning for stabbing his wife to death because of her unfaithfulness, gave as an excuse for the deed that he owned the woman. The judge told him that men are not allowed to own women in America, and sentenced the Chinaman to imprisonment for life in the state prison.

New Circuit Judges.

WASHINGTON, July 18.—President Harrison will probably have his nomination for the nine new circuit judgships ready to send to the Senate soon after the meeting of Congress. The papers of the applicants have been put in shape at the Department of Justice, so that the President can readily judge the merits of each candidate, and the strength of his support

Railway Collision.

MANSFIELD, Ohio, July 18.—The telegraph operator for the Erie Railway at this point says that two freight trains collided at Hepburn station last night, and that a number of cars were wrecked, but no one was injured.

National Editorial Association.

ST. PAUL, Minn., July 18.—W. S. Cappellar, of the Massfield News, was to-day elected president of the National Editorial Association.

MOLLY MAGUIRES.

Blow up Three Miners' Houses With Dynamite—Raid on Powder Magazine.

NEWCASTLE, Wash., July 17.—Things were rather exciting around here last night, and although no one was hurt attempts were made on the lives and property of the miners and the company. Five miners had just returned from town, and Col. Scott, thinking they acted in a strange manner, watched them. They went to the powder house of the mine and attempted to seize the guard, but when he fired they ran away. One of them, Pat Murphy, was caught and put under guard for the night. In the morning Col. Scott made out his time and said to Murphy: "If you ever show yourself around here again, I will set the negroes on to you." Col. Scott thinks the men who made the attempt on the powder house are Molly Maguires.

At 2 o'clock in the morning a large stone was thrown at the engine house, but the miscreant was not caught. A stick of dynamite was placed under the cabin of August Saunders, a miner, and exploded, making a loud report and demolishing that house and three others. The scoundrels who did this work are unknown to the authorities, but the latter think they have a clue.

At the mines yesterday orders were published that the carrying of firearms by the miners is strictly prohibited in or out of the grounds. So far to-day everything is again assuming its normal aspect.

VANCOUVER NEWS.

Capt. White in the Prisoner's Box.—The Case Remanded.

Special to the TIMES.

VANCOUVER, July 18.—Captain Frank White, late captain of the Premier, was brought here yesterday from Nanaimo by Officer McNeil, who laid an information for his arrest. He was brought up this morning before Judge Bole who tried the case as stipendiary magistrate. E. A. Magee, of this city, defended Capt. White, and E. V. Bodwell appeared for the C. P. N. Company. McNeil testified to laying the information under instructions from the Attorney-General and solicitor for the C.P.N. Company. The case then adjourned till this afternoon when the evidence of the teller at the bank from whom White received the proceeds of the cheque in question will be taken. The case will then be further adjourned at the request of the defendant's solicitor. The amount of the embezzlement is $2200.

LATEST FROM ALASKA.

Whaling Bark Mars Loses Her Anchor—Other Notes.

Special to the TIMES.]

NANAIMO, July 18.—The whaling bark Mars arrived in Sitka on the 8th inst., in distress. She broke her rudder on June 15th while whaling on the sea otter bank, off the mouth of Copper River, where she got on one of the sea otter shoals. She came off with no other damage than the loss of her rudder. At the time of her mishap she had nine whales. Her captain reports the whalers making a large catch.

The salmon canneries in Alaska are running to their fullest capacity. The citizens of Alaska are very much disgusted with the manner in which the court is conducted. It is a disgrace to any country. Alaska has been very unfortunate in getting worthless men to fill her offices. Some use too much liquor and, others are too officious and always meddling with the citizens' and natives' private affairs, which, of course, causes a great amount of bad feeling between the citizens and government officials.

The weather has been very warm and clear for two months, but the gardens are very much in need of rain.

The steam schooner Elsie sailed from Sitka for the westward on the 1st of July on the new mail contract.

S. Nowell's success in opening the Silver Bow Basins immense gravel deposit is fully demonstrated by results already obtained. The gravel exceeds in richness the most sanguine expectations. Old miners state that it is the richest strike ever made on the Pacific coast which promises to make the owners "bonanza kings." It will materially increase the gold production of the country so much desired by financiers throughout the land.

A BRUTAL MURDERER.

A Beautiful Young Girl Murdered by a Rejected Lover.

HANOVER, N.H., July 18.—As Miss Christie Warden, accompanied by her mother, her sister Fanny and Louise Goodell were returning home, a mile from the village, at a late hour last night, Frank Almy, a man of about 30, jumped into the road in front of them, and seizing Christie by the arms said "I want you." The mother and sisters attempted to defend her. Almy fired at them but missed. They ran for assistance. Then Almy dragged his victim into the bushes, not far from the road, and shot her twice through the head, one shot tearing out her left eye. When help arrived the girl was dead and her body stripped of nearly every article of clothing. Almy had fled. Miss Warden was a beautiful and most estimable young woman, of about 25, a graduate of the state normal school and a popular teacher. Almy was a former employee of her family and his attentions to Miss Christie had been repulsed. She was daughter of Andrew Warden, a wealthy farmer and leading citizen. It was midnight before the news arrived in the village. The sheriff is sending out searching parties in all directions. Almy is about 5 feet 10 inches tall, has black moustache is of pleasing address and well educated. The father of the murdered girl offers a reward of $500 for the capture of the murderer. The town will undoubtedly offer an additional reward.

RAILWAY STRIKE IN PARIS.

Some Excitement, but the men Peaceably Disposed.

PARIS, July 18.—The excitement over the strike of the railway employees grows apace. This morning, early large bodies of strikers surrounded the railway stations and goods depots with the avowed purpose of attempting to prevent the non-union or new men from moving the trains or handling freight. This condition of affairs, will not, however, be permitted to last for any length of time. Being informed of the menacing attitude of the strikers, the municipal authorities promptly ordered the gendarmes to disperse the crowds that fill the approaches to the passenger stations and goods depots. When this duty was accomplished they were dispatched to occupy all such stations as were likely to become rallying points for further demonstrations. The excitement prevailing in the city this morning was intense, owing to the rush made to the stations and depot. The prompt action of gendarmes and rapid movement of the troops does not appear to be anything in the actual situation to cause alarm. On the contrary, all indications point to the preservation of peace. Several meetings were held to-day, at which the men resolved to continue the strike. How pacific is the disposition of the railroaders is shown by the fact that they have decided to abandon the proposed march to the Chamber of Deputies, as an escort to their delegation. This action was taken in order to avoid any possible chance of disturbance on the streets.

ARABA PASHA'S HEALTH.

THE EGYPTIAN EXILE HAS BEEN STEADILY DECLINING.

Applications for his Release met With Unqualified Refusals—A Member Wanted for East Belfast—A Home Ruler Stands no Chance as DeCobain's Successor.

LONDON, July 18.—A despatch from Colombo, Ceylon, says that the health of the Egyptian exile, Araba Pasha, which has been steadily declining for the past two years, has now reached a state of grave alarm to his friends, of whom he has made thousands since his banishment to Ceylon a little more than seven years ago. From time to time within the last six years various persons have voluntarily undertaken the thankless task of applying to the British goverment for his release, with the unvarying result of meeting with an unqualified refusal on the part of the home authorities, and on one or two occasions the petitioners have been informed that Araba ought to consider himself forever thankful that he was not put to death, as his original sentence decreed. The present information concerning the rebel exile is that another effort to obtain his release and return to Egypt to end his days in the land of his birth is being made, which has the moral and material support of hundreds of prominent officials and residents who have been his friends and associates and advocates throughout his enforced stay in Ceylon, and those who have the matter in charge are encouraged to hope that they will be successful. It is stated that Araba's physician has informed the authorities that his patient will not live many months longer in his virtual confinement, and will succumb to the exacting climate and the incurable nostalgoa from which he is constantly suffering.

LOOKING TO DECOBAIN'S SUCCESSOR.

As nobody believes that Mr. DeCobain, the absent Tory member for East Belfast in parliament, will obey the summons of the house to appear before that body on July 23 and answer the charges of immorality brought against him, the election managers are already casting about for available candidates for the seat which will be declared vacant upon his failure to appear. As the nomination of a Conservative candidate is equivalent to his section, Mr. Decobain, having received nearly 4000 majority over the Nationalist candidate in the last contest, it is presumed that the Government party will take little interest in the campaign.

A HOME RULER UNLIKELY.

The Nationalists profess to believe that the disclosures showing the vile character of DeCobain have given them fighting material for the seat, but the success of a home ruler in that division is extremely unlikely.

BRIGANDS IN ITALY.

A private letter from Cagliare gives a startling account of the almost unrestrained depredations of brigands in that part of the Italian kingdom. The writer asserts that the authorities are so completely powerless to check the outrages that they give more attention to suppressing the news of their occurrences than they do towards apprehending the outlaws, and it has become scarcely a matter of doubt that the local officials in the smaller settlements are interested in shielding them. That armed bands of cut-throats and robbers should be able to roam at will, in a well settled part of a civilized country, often in sight of towns is almost incredible, but such is alleged to be the fact. Numerous instances are given of attacks on travellers attended by a number of guards engaged as a protection against just such onslaughts, where the guards disappeared at the first sign of danger, leaving their employers at the mercy of the robbers, who relieved them of their valuables and often subjected them to the most outrageous personal treatment. Frequent complaints have been made to the Government authorities of the danger with which travelling in Sardinia is attended, but it does not appear that anything has been done or is likely to be done to put down the brigandage and insure safety to travellers.

BANK FAILURE.

The failure of the English Bank of the River Platte (limited), was announced this morning. The failure of the bank is attributed to the locking up of South American securities and the inability of the institution to secure financial assistance, upon which it had counted.

SPURGEON BETTER.

He Took and Enjoyed solid Food for the First Time in Months.

LONDON, July 18.—Physicians in attendance on Rev. Charles H. Spurgeon report their patient much improved this morning, and add that he has taken, retained and enjoyed solid food for the first time in months.

A Train Goes Over an Embankment.

LONDON, July 18.—By the falling over an embankment of the Manchester ship canal of a ballast train, eleven persons were killed. The accident occurred at Ince, a small place situated on the line of the canal, near the mouth of the river Mersey.

The accident was due to the fact that a boy 17 years of age mistook the points and turned the railroad train, consisting of 22 wagons, loaded with ballast, into a siding leading into a switch cutting. The train then crashed into it, causing the cars to tumble over. The men killed were horribly mutilated. The boy tried to escape, but was captured.

The Deal is off.

BOSTON, Mass., July 18.—The news bureau says the deal between the Chicago Railway & Union Stockyards Co. and Chicago packers, Armour, Lorriss, Swift, etc., is off. It failed of ratification by the stockyards directors at the meeting at New York Wednesday.

NEW STEAMERS.

The Pacific Mail Company to Build Two Fine Steamers for China Trade.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 18.—The Union Iron Works have been awarded the contract to build a 4000 ton steamer for the Pacific Mail Company. Work will commence in a few days and by the 1st of January next the vessel will be ready for launching. The new steamer will run on the China route and will cost about $750,000. While the vessel is being built here a sister ship will be in course of construction in the Chester Ship Building Company's yards, New York.

THEY MAKE A HAUL.

Customs Inspectors Secure 189 Tins of Smuggled Opium.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 18.—Opium to the value of $2000 was seized by customs officers on the collier San Benito on Wednesday evening last. Yesterday O. C. Erickson and James C. Rilley were arrested on the steamer and charged with abetting the concealment of the seized drug. The steamer arrived from Nanaimo on Wednesday with a cargo of coal. When the customs searchers boarded the vessel, late Wednesday evening, they saw a seaman named J. C. Rilley run forward with a canvas sack. Rilley, upon being pursued, threw the sack to Erickson. When seized the bag was found to contain 72 five teal cans of opium. In various portions of the steamer 117 other tins were discovered by the searchers, making the total seizure amount to 189 cans, or 945 teals. The inspectors have been instructed to keep a close watch on all suspected vessels arriving from Nanaimo, as it is suspected that systematic attempts are being made to smuggle opium here from British Columbia.

THE DEADLY GLYCERINE.

A Man and a Team of Horses Blown Literally to Pieces by an Explosion.

WASHINGTON, Penn., July 18.—An explosion of 200 pounds of nitro-glycerine which blew S. J. Bigley, the driver of the wagon containing the explosive and a team of fine horses to pieces, occurred at this place early this morning. Bigley was 40 years of age and leaves a wife and several children. He was taking the glycerine from the Mount Morris oil fields to the Torpedo wells. All that has been found of Bigley is a small piece of his head, fully six hundred feet distant from the scene of the accident. The houses of workmen Hughes and Leo Minton, at the roadside were demolished. Mrs. Hughes and three children were seriously injured by the falling walls. D. Cummings was also badly damaged and his wife seriously hurt. Within a radius of half a mile every window was shattered, the shock was so terrific. It is supposed that one of the cans leaking, permitted the acid to escape and the jar of the wagon exploded it.

ATTACKED BY PIRATES.

Account of the Murder of Missionaries in China.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 18.—Steamer Belgic arrived from Hong Kong and Yokohama yesterday with the news that the ferment in the north of China was spreading. Two Englishmen, a missionary and a customs officer, were murdered at Wussusi. The European ladies at that place escaped with their lives. The French church and orphanage and adjoining premises at Woosie, near Soo Chow, have been burned. The foreign ministers are said to have sent a joint note to the government, demanding that measures be taken for the protection of foreign life and property in China.

The two murdered were A. W. Green, Methodist missionary, and a customs officer named Argent. While the riot was yet slight, Argent, who was walking through the streets, was struck on the head by a stone and knocked senseless. The crowd, seeing him fall, at once rushed upon him and shattered his head as it lay on the ground with large flat stones. Green was attacked in his house, and is reported to have had his throat cut, and in addition to have been badly mutilated about the head. A Cantonese woman belonging to Green is said to have also been murdered, but before she succumbed to the attacks of her assailants, she killed three of the ruffians with a Japanese sword.

While a junk was sailing from Pinghoi to Hong Kong recently, it was attacked by pirates in a small boat. Seven of the men on the junk were killed, and the remainder of the crew, nine, jumped into the sea and were picked up by a fishing boat and put ashore. The pirates sailed away with the junk.

The Government Again Victorious.

PARIS, July 18.—The chamber deputies assembled and the government gained an overwhelming victory. The motion of interpellation made yesterday by M. Laur (Boulangist) with regard to German passport regulations in Alsace-Lorraine, has been tabled, by vote of 319 to 168. The announcement of the result was received with cheering and cries of "vive le republique." In the streets people stand amazed at the magnificent rally of deputies to the support of the government.

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Desperado Lynched.

MIDDLESBORO, Ky., July 18.—Yesterday morning at 3 o'clock Frank Rossimus was taken from jail and lynched by a posse of armed citizens. Thursday afternoon Rossimus, Rossignue and Liles Johnson fired upon the police, who were attempting their arrest and wounded patrolman Tuck and policeman Williams. They escaped but were arrested last night.

BARONESS MACDONALD.

The Small Company of Ladies Who Are Peeresses in Their Own Right.

The company which Lady Macdonald has lately been called upon by Her Majesty, the Queen, to join is very ancient and very select; but it is not very numerous. It consists at present of five peeresses of the United Kingdom, and of one member of the Scottish peerage, making six, and the addition of Lady Macdonald will make seven peeresses, all told. Of the six English peeresses no less than three have been made during the present reign. Baroness Burdett-Coutts was created in 1871 for services to the state, which everybody is ready to admit; Baroness Bolsover was elevated to the peerage in 1880, chiefly because she is the mother of the Duke of Portland; and Lady Macdonald receives the honor for services rendered by her late illustrious husband, Sir John, to Canada and the Empire.

From the creation of Lady Burdett-Coutts we have to take a jump backwards of 584 years to find the next youngest peeress, Baroness Berners, whose title dates from 1455, and whose family name is Trywhitt—a name familiar to people in Victoria. The next peerage is that of Baroness Berkeley, family name Milman, whose barony dates back to 1421, and then a jump of 157 years takes us to the oldest of the peeresses in her own right, created in 1265, the Baroness Le Despencer, whose family name is Boscawen, and who is the widow of the late Viscount Falmouth and mother of the present Viscount. A peeress in her own right by descent or creation has all the privileges of a peer except that of sitting in parliament, which is suspended while the peerage is held by a female, but survives when it passes to a male heir. One privilege of inestimable value is, that should a peeress in her own right be charged with treason or felony, she must be tried by her peers, whereas the wife or the widow of a peer, and there are 400 or so of them, is tried by jury.

The Scottish peeress is the Countess of Rothes, wife of Mr. Waldegrave Leslie and mother of Lord Leslie, and in one way her title is the highest of the seven, because she ranks with Earls, —countesses being the wives of earls,— whereas the others rank only with Barons, who belong to the lowest order of the peerage. A few years ago there were more peeresses in their own right than at the present moment. There was the Countess of Cromartie, the mother of the present Duke of Sutherland; the Baroness Nairne, the mother of the present Lord Landsdowne; and the Countess of Beaconsfield, the wife of the Earl of Beaconsfield; but these three are dead, leaving no immediate successors. Some of those female baronies remain "dormant" for a term of years and then revive in some female descendant—as, for example, the title of Baroness Nairne was "dormant" from 1837 to 1874, and was then revived in the person of the Countess of Nairne.

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Royal Naval Yard, Esquimalt, 1st July, 1891. jy2td

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June 27, 1891.

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TIME TABLE NO. 14.

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Saturday, May 9th, 1891.

Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING SOUTH. READ UP.

STATIONS.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Sat. and Sun.	Miles from Wellington.
VICTORIA	Ar. 12:28 P M	Ar. 6:38 P M	78
RUSSELL'S	" 12:20	" 6:30	77
ESQUIMALT	" 12:10	" :44	74
GOLDSTREAM	" 11:45 A M	" :19	67
SHAWNIGAN LAKE	" 10:50	" 5:24	50
COBBLE HILL	" 10:40	" 5:14	47
McPHERSON'S	" 10:27	" 4:59	45
KOKSILAH	" 10:17	" 4:49	40
DUNCAN'S	" 10:12	" 4:44	38
SOMENOS	" 10:02	" 4:34	35
CHEMAINUS	" 9:36	" 4:19	30
NANAIMO	De. 8:34		
	Ar. 8:25	" 3:14	5
WELLINGTON	De. 8:10	De. 2:59	

GOING NORTH. READ DOWN

STATIONS.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Sat. and Sun.	Miles from Victoria.
VICTORIA	De. 8:00 A M	De. 3:30 P M	
RUSSELL'S	" 8:04	" 3:38	1
ESQUIMALT	" 8:14	" 3:44	4
GOLDSTREAM	" 8:40	" 4:09	11
SHAWNIGAN LAKE	" 9:34	" 5:04	28
COBBLE HILL	" 9:44	" 5:14	
McPHERSON'S	" 9:57	" 5:29	3[illegible]
KOKSILAH	" 10:07	" 5:39	40
DUNCAN'S	" 10:12	" 5:44	42
SOMENOS	" 10:22	" 5:54	43
CHEMAINUS	" 10:45	" 6:16	52
NANAIMO	Ar. 11:30	" :18	73
	De. 11:50		
WELLINGTON	Ar. 12:11 P M	Ar. 7:29	78

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TAKE NOTICE that all parties having claims against the above named deceased intestate are hereby required to present full particulars of the same properly vouched to James Charles Prevost, administrator of the estate of the said deceased intestate, or to his solicitors Messrs. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken, Victoria.

And further take notice that all parties claiming as heirs of the said deceased intestate are hereby required to give notice thereof to the said James Charles Prevost who shall proceed to ascertain and report upon the same upon a date to be hereafter appointed.

Dated this 18th day of June, A.D. 1891.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN, Solicitors for James Charles Prevost, Administrator of estate of said deceased intestate.

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EMPRESS OF INDIA	Sept. 22	Sept. 30
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Taking effect June 23, 1891.

Vancouver Route.

Victoria to Vancouver daily, except Monday, at 2 o'clock, a.m.

Vancouver to Victoria daily, except Monday, at 13 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route.

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island, Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going East Monday.

For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.

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For Plumper Pass Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Fraser River Route.

Steamers leave New Westminster for Chilliwhack and Way Landings every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

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Bute Inlet Route.

Steamer Rainbow leaves alternate Fridays for Comox, New Westminster, Burrard Inlet, Bute Inlet and waypoints.

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THE WORLD'S NEWS IN BRIEF.

Probable Redistribution in England—The Potato Blight in Ireland.

Lord Salisbury says he believes that the question of women voting demands consideration. He declares that home rule has not effected any lodgment in England. He says that Ireland, Wales and North Scotland are greatly over-represented, while England, especially London, is as much under-represented, and the redistribution of seats must be to the advantage of Conservatives.

Earl Spencer, an ex-lord lieutenant of Ireland, declares that home rule for Ireland is as popular in English constituencies now as before disaster overtook the Parnellites, and that home rule would be the first proposal introduced in the next Liberal Parliament.

Seven hundred men on the Northern Railway, in France, have struck. Other lines are short-handed, and the strike is extending. The goods depot of the railway has been closed.

At a meeting in Paris of about 4000 railroad employees, it was decided to order an immediate strike along the lines of the five great railroads entering Paris.

A decree has been promulgated in Portugal reducing the import duty on wheat to seven reis per kilogram.

Deaths from cholera in Mecca average 50 daily. A quarantine camp is being formed at Juh-Eltor.

The blight has played great havoc with the potato crop in the Skibbereen district, Ireland.

Over-Production the Cause.

LONDON, July 18.—In the House of Commons last evening Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, president of the Board of Trade, in replying to the question as to why the recent great shut down in the tin plate industry of Wales was necessary, said he attributed the stoppage of the manufacture of tin-plate to over-production. In support of this view, Sir Michael cited from the statistics of industries.

Five Men Crushed to Death.

DULUTH, Minn., July 18.—Last night's storm at West Superior was even worse than the reports of yesterday made it appear. In all, five men were killed by the falling of the new hotel there. About 25 men had gathered in the building to seek refuge from the rain and wind, when it collapsed, falling level with the earth.

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"The Western Canadian Ranching Company, Limited (Foreign)."

Registered the 30th day of June, 1891.

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that I have this day registered "The Western Canadian Ranching Company, Limited (Foreign)," under the "Companies Act, Part IV, "Registration of Foreign Companies.

The objects for which the Company is established are:—

1. To purchase or othewise acquire any landed property, or any interest therein, in the Dominion of Canada, the United States of America, or elsewhere, and in particular certain estates situate in British Columbia, in the said Dominion, included for shortness of description under the general description of "Harpers' Ranches," with the farms, buildings, franchises, stock, cattle, horses, sheep, and produce thereon, and the minerals thereunder, and the business of cattle raising, breeding, dealing, and selling, saw and flour milling, and every other business which now is, or conveniently could be, carried on in connection therewith, and with a view thereto enter into the agreement referred to in clause 3 of the Company's Articles of Association, and to carry the same into effect with or without modification;

2. To purchase, or to take under any concession, lease, or in exchange, to hire, or otherwise acquire, settle, improve, farm and cultivate lands of any tenure, franchises, and hereditaments situate in the Dominion of Canada, the United States of America, or elsewhere, and any mines, minerals ships, steamboats, barges and other vessels, engines, railway waggons, tanks, reservoirs, manufacturing plant, apparatus, and stock-in-trade, and any other real and personal property of whatever description (including any rights or privileges), whether the same be unencumbered or subject to any mortgage, charge, lien, easements, privileges, licenses, concessions, or otherwise, and to develop and turn to account the resources of the lands, buildings, water, and other rights, and all other properties for the time being belonging to the Company in such manner as the Company may think fit, and in particular by building any kind of structure thereupon, planting, reclaiming, clearing, mining, quarrying, excavating, road-making, damming, draining, fencing, grazing, farming, and otherwise dealing with and working the same, and to stock lands and farms, and to breed, grow, and deal in all kinds of stock, cattle, horses, sheep, and produce, and to erect and maintain thereon suitable buildings and structures, including slaughtering, refrigerating, and converting establishments.

3. To carry on the business of farmers, graziers, agisters, cattle, sheep, and horse breeders and dealers, meat and fruit preservers, millers, bakers, brewers, planters, miners, metallurgists, smelters, quarry owners, brick makers, builders, contractors for works, both public and private, wool and other merchants, store-keepers, importers and exporters, ship-builders, ship owners, and any other business which may seem calculated, directly or indirectly, to develop the Company's property, or any part thereof, or which may conveniently be carried on in connection with any other business of the Company.

4. To carry on business as timber merchants, saw-mill proprietors, and timber growers, and to buy, sell, grow, and prepare for market, manipulate, import, export, and deal in timber and wood of all kinds, and to buy, lease, or otherwise acquire, clear, plant and work timber estates or timber rights.

5. To aid, encourage, and promote immigration, emigration, colonization, and settlement, and for such purposes to lend and grant any sums of money, and to act as agents therefor, and to build, lay out, settle, colonise and develop towns and villages on the lands acquired or controlled by the Company from time to time.

6. To search for, prospect, examine and explore mines and grounds supposed to contain minerals or precious stones, and to search for and obtain information in regard to mines, to purchase, locate, or otherwise acquire, and to sell, dispose of, and deal with mines and [illegible] of all kinds, and to work, operate, exercise, develop, and turn to account mines and mining rights, and any undertakings connected therewith.

7. To advance money at interest to any person or corporation on the security of freehold and leasehold land, stock, stations, wool, cattle, produce, crops, shares, securities, merchandise, and other property in the Dominion of Canada, the United States of America, or elsewhere, and generally to lend and advance money to such persons, and upon such terms, and subject to such conditions as may seem expedient, and to buy, manufacture, deal in, and sell all kinds of goods, chattels, merchandise, produce, and effects.

8. To construct, execute, carry out, equip, improve, work, administer, manage, or control railways, tramways, warehouses, mills, stores, shops, markets, churches, hospitals, baths, and public and private works of all kinds in the said Dominion of Canada, the United States of America, or elsewhere, which may seem calculated directly or indirectly to enhance the value of any property in which the Company is interested.

9. To establish and subsidize any institution, club, or conveniences for the benefit of the Company's employees, and of any tenants or other person in whose welfare the Company is interested, and to provide for their religious, sanitary, social, and educational welfare, and to grant money for these purposes or any of them.

10. To purchase, or otherwise acquire and undertake all or any part of the business, property, and liabilities of any person, firm, or company possessed of property suitable for the purposes of this Company, or carrying on, or about to carry on, any business which this Company is authorized to carry on, or which is capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this Company, and to enter into partnership, or into any arrangement for sharing profits, for union of interests, reciprocal concession, or co-operation, or amalgamation, either in whole or in part, with any such company, firm or person.

11. To take, or otherwise acquire, and hold, or sell shares, stock, bonds, debentures, or any other interest in any other company, whether British, Colonial or Foreign, in which the liability of the members is limited, having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company, or carrying on any business capable of being conducted so as to directly or indirectly benefit this Company, and to subsidize, or otherwise assist, any such Company.

12. To obtain any provisional order, or Act of Parliament, or legislative provision, decree, or order of any Colony, Government, body, or authority to incorporate the members as a body politic or corporate, in accordance with the laws and constitution of any country or state in which the Company shall be carrying on, or be desirous of carrying on, any of its operations, and to take all steps and do all things necessary to give the Company, or any company subsidiary thereto, a legal domicile in any such country or state, and such legislative powers as will facilitate the carrying into effect of the objects of the Company therein.

13. To borrow and raise money for the purposes of the Company in such manner and upon such terms as the Company shall think fit, and to secure the repayment thereof by bonds or debentures, or by redeemable or unredeemable debenture stock (such bonds, debentures, and debenture stock being to bearer or otherwise), or by any other instruments, or by deposit, receipts, bills of exchange, or promissory notes, or in such other manner as may be determined, and for any such purposes, if so agreed, to charge all or any part of the property of the Company (both present and future) including the uncalled capital.

14. To transact all manner of agency and commission business, and in particular to act as agents for any person or company in the purchase, sale, improvement, or management in any way of any lands, farms, cattle, stock, or other property in the Dominion of Canada, the United States of America, or elsewhere, where the company may for the time then being be carrying on business, and to carry on the business of general, commercial, mercantile, shipping, or forwarding agents, or agents for any railway, steamship, or other company.

15. To lend or advance money to such persons on such terms as may seem expedient, and in particular to customers of and persons having dealings with the Company, and to guarantee the performance of contracts by members of or persons having dealings with the Company.

16. To invest and deal with the moneys of the Company not immediately required upon such securities, and in such manner, as may from time to time be determined, but not in the purchasing of or dealing in the shares of the Company.

17. To make, draw, accept, indorse, discount and execute promissory notes, bills of exchange and other negotiable instruments.

18. To promote any other company for the purpose of acquiring all or any of the property, rights, and liabilities of the Company, or for any other purpose which may seem, directly or indirectly, calculated to benefit this Company.

19. To sell, dispose of by sale, lease, underlease, exchange, surrender, mortgage, or otherwise absolutely, conditionally, or for any limited interest, all or any part of the undertaking, property, rights, or privileges of the Company as a going concern, or otherwise, to any public body, company, society, or association, or to any person or persons, and in particular to any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company, and to accept as the consideration, or part of the consideration, for such disposal money, stock, shares, debentures, or other securities, either for distribution in specie among the members, or otherwise.

20. To use, work, develop, grant licenses and otherwise make profits by dealing with and turning to account all or any part of the undertaking and property of the Company, and for this purpose to determine how much of the proceeds of sale or realization thereof is to be deemed capital, and how much profit, and to distribute any such profits amongst the members in specie or otherwise.

21. To allot the shares of the Company, credited as fully or partly paid up, as the whole or part of the purchase price for any property purchased by the Company, or for any valuable consideration.

22. To remunerate any person or persons for services rendered, or to be rendered, in placing, or guaranteeing the placing, of any shares or securities of the Company, or in relation to the establishment of the Company, or the conduct of its business, and to apply and appropriate such parts of the capital of the Company as may be expedient to the payment of such brokerage, discounts, or other expenses as may be deemed incidental to the formation and promotion of the Company, and the placing of its shares and debentures, or any part thereof.

23. To do all or any of the above things as principals, agents, contractors, trustees, or otherwise, and by or through trustees, agents, or otherwise, and either alone or in conjunction with others, and to contract for the carrying on of the operations connected with the Company's business, or any of them, by any person, company, or other association.

24. To carry out the objects comprised in each paragraph of this clause in as full and ample a manner, and construed in as wide a sense as they would be construed if each paragraph of this clause defined the objects of a separate, distinct, and independent company, and so that such objects shall not, except where otherwise expressed in such paragraph, be restricted by reference to the objects indicated in any other paragraph.

25. To do all such other things as in fact are, or as the company shall consider to be, incidental or conducive to the above objects, or any of them, and so that the word "company" in this memorandum, except where used in reference to this company, shall be deemed to include any partnership or other body of persons, whether incorporated or not incorporated, and wherever domiciled.

The amount of the capital stock of the said company is £100,000, divided into 100 founders' shares of £1 each, and 9990 ordinary shares of £10 each.

The place of business of the said company is located at the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia.

In testimony whereof, I have hereto set my hand and affixed my seal of office, this 30th day of June, 1891, at the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

July 16-1m

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Any information will be supplied on application to the undersigned.

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Dated at the City of Victoria, this 23rd day of June, A.D., 1891.

P. F. RICHARDSON,
A. HEATHORN

Signed in the presence of
GEO. A. MORPHY. je23-1m

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WANTED—An experienced sewing woman also an apprentice girl. Apply to Mrs. L. King, dressmaker, 130 Blanchard avenue. jy17-4t

WANTED—A matron for the Lying-in-Hospital and trained nurses for Home for the Sick Poor. Apply between the hours of 10 and 12 a.m. to Mrs. D. W. Higgins, Regent Park. jy17-tf

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Scribe k.

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oct9 K. of R. & S.

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J. CARPENTER.
Dated Victoria, June 2, 1891. je2

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase a small island in the Skeena River, about a quarter of a mile from Port Essington.
R. G. JOHNSTON.
Victoria, June 12, 1891. je12-2m

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MACKENZIEISM VS. MACDONALDISM.

The Vancouver Telegram does not think much of Sir RICHARD CARTWRIGHT as a financier. Speaking of the floating of the treasury notes on the London market, the Telegram deplores that Mr. FOSTER, "in a moment of weakness," should have listened to Liberal "arguments and have adopted their policy," and suggests that in the future the Government ascertain exactly what Sir RICHARD's policy is, and pursue a precisely opposite course. "If this rule were quietly adopted," says the Telegram, "there would be little chance of the Government's policy ever proving a failure." This is the frankest expression we have yet heard from the Telegram. It has at last acknowledged that the Government has erred. We shall next have it admitting that Mr. FOSTER'S "moments of weakness" are chronic. But the Finance Minister is not our theme. The Telegram is dubious of Sir RICHARD'S financial capabilities; our purpose is to enquire whether the Telegram's dubiousness is well founded.

The one marked feature of the financial history of Canada and the Mackenzie administration was, that a world-wide depression existed. All countries were in financial difficulties, Canada not excepted, and of all the countries which passed through the ordeal Canada escaped the least damaged. There were deficits to meet when the Mackenzie government came into power, and Sir RICHARD took into consideration the propriety of effecting a change in the tariff to increase the revenue. But the Maritime provinces had entered the Confederation upon the understanding that the duties were not to be increased. They protested accordingly against the proposed increase, and the Government so far accepted the protest that the duties were not advanced beyond 17½ per cent. Sir RICHARD assumed that as soon as the depression had passed away the revenue afforded by the then existing tariff would suffice to meet current expenditure for years to come. But Sir RICHARD did not remain in office long enough to demonstrate whether this would come true or not. We have, however, other data, collateral proof, that his prediction would have been verified. The situation in the United States was not dissimilar to that of Canada. The depression was so severe in the States that the customs revenue fell from $168,103,099 in 1874 to $130,170,000 in 1878. In other words, during the space of four years the customs revenue fell off $37,933,000. During 1879 the tide set in the other way. The customs revenue for 1879 amounted to $137,250,000, and for the year 1881 it reached the figure $220,410,000. Now if this was the result in the United States, is not the presumption reasonable that Sir RICHARD'S forecast as regards Canada would have come to pass? The policy of the Mackenzie Government did not get fairly into operation until 1874. The customs taxes for the year 1874-75 were $15,351,000, and for the year 1878-79 were $12,900,000, a reduction of $2,450,000. These figures disprove the oft-made charge that the Mackenzie government never reduced taxation. These are Mr. CHARLTON'S figures, and as he is pretty good authority, we will proceed to quote him further.

The taxes from the Customs and Excise for 1874-75 were $20,664,000, and the average taxation through the Customs and Excise from 1875-76 to 1878-79 was $18,157,000; so that the average reduction of taxation from Customs and Excise in the years 1875-76, 1876-77, 1877-78, and 1878-79 was $2,507,000, the average deficit was $1,625,000, and the average saving to the people from the reduction of taxation was annually $881,000 more than the expenditure and deficit combined. Now let us see whether the financial record of the present Government will compare with this much abused administration. At the close of the Mackenzie administration taxes had been reduced $2,188,258. During 1889-90 the taxation from Customs and Excise were $31,597,071 or $13,110,438 more than in 1878-79. In other words, under the present administration, taxation in ten years had been increased 70 per cent. So much for Sir RICHARD CARTWRIGHT as a financier as compared with his Tory successors. Again, it is charged that the Mackenzie administration were more extravagant than the present Government. The Mackenzie Government incurred a debt of $27,000,000, but it was for the purpose of carrying out the obligations incurred by the preceding Government. But how does this increase compare with the indebtedness piled up by the present Government? When the Mackenzie Government retired from office the public debt was $142,990,187. The present debt of Canada is $237,533,211 an increase of $94,543,434, or 66 per cent. increase between the years 1879 and 1890. And what has Canada got to show for it? She may have possibly five score of plutocrats.

MICHAEL CONNOLLY'S SHADOW.

OWEN E. MURPHY is a man of rather questionable character, but his subtraction from the firm of CONNOLLY & Co., does not seem to have very much increased the joint morality of the firm and the Public Works Department, as is shown by the Kingston dry dock scandal. The successful tenderer for that work was one ANDREW C. BANCROFT, and it is safe to say that no more mysterious personage ever had anything to do with Sir HECTOR'S department. His tender amounted to $260,680, above him being several other firms, among them that of CONNOLLY & Co. with Mr. MURPHY excluded. Almost simultaneously with the acceptance of BANCROFT'S tender two notes were sent into the Department, one from BANCROFT asking that the CONNOLLYS be joined with him in the contract and the other from the CONNOLLYS announcing their agreement to work with BANCROFT. Now it seems that the best efforts of the Opposition have failed to discover this man BANCROFT, and it is doubted whether he ever had an existence. Sir HECTOR LANGEVIN when questioned in the House refused to say whether he had ever seen the man or not. MR. LAURIER stated plainly in the House that he believed the BANCROFT tender to have been written by MICHAEL CONNOLLY, with whose peculiar handwriting he was perfectly familiar. The true inwardness of the whole transaction is easily seen when it is understood that after the awarding of the contract to "Bancroft," the contract price of the work was materially added to by means of "extras," much like those which crop up so often in the history of the Connolly contracts. In this case the extras increased the amount from $260,000 to $405,000, so that the contract was unusually good, even for this highly favored firm. The history of one of these extras shows how well the department and the contractors understood each other. The original specifications called for an entrance 48 feet wide, but after the contract was signed it was agreed to increase the width to 60 feet, which was to be done without extra cost. Soon afterwards the resident engineer, a son of Chief Engineer PERLEY, recommended an entrance of 55 feet, and this was eventually decided on. But strange to say, while the contractors agreed to make a 60 foot entrance at the same cost as one of 48 feet, they were allowed $34,000 extra for increasing the width to 55 feet. Mr. GIBSON, M.P. for Lincoln, himself a practical contractor, and one of those who tendered for the work, stated most emphatically in the House that the extra width entailed no extra cost on the contractors. By such means was the "Bancroft" contract made profitable to the Connollys.

"INDEFATIGABLE REPRESENTATIVES."

The Colonist's Ottawa correspondent, glib as he may be as a Tory letter writer, is not endued with a keener moral sense than the organ which publishes his lucubrations. The archives of the Privy Council, according to this writer, do not furnish such a record as the week has brought forth. Poor PERLEY, poor BURGESS. The tone of regret running through the writer's remarks that these gentlemen should suffer for the trifling sin of stealing from the public would be amusing were it not that the writer does not apparently realize that the character of brigandage practised by MCGREEVY, PERLEY and Co. differs not in degree but in form merely from the operations of such men as JESSE JAMES. The Colonist's correspondent expresses the hope that in view of his (PERLEY'S) splendid record the Government will deal with him liberally in the matter of superannuation. This is excellent. Mr. PERLEY'S "splendid record" has cost Canada no man can tell how much, and yet our correspondent would have the Government "deal liberally with him in the matter of superannuation!" Next we have Mr. BURGESS'S supersensitiveness. Poor fellow! We have heard of men getting into scrapes over their mothers-in-law but never before in the case of their fathers-in-law. Mr. BURGESS should be knighted. Finally we come to Messrs. PRIOR and EARLE. These gentlemen have been haunting Sir HECTOR and Sir HECTOR has smiled coldly on them. Harbor improvements, evidently, have soured on Sir HECTOR. Unable to get any satisfaction from Sir HECTOR the British Columbia puppets proceed to hunt up the First Minister and in his probably unwilling ears a tale unfold. Our correspondent is unable to say whether Victoria's "two indefatigable representatives" made an impression on the First Minister, but he tells us that he is "inclined to think that Mr. ABBOTT was not heretofore aware of the discontent which prevails in Victoria." We doubt whether Mr. ABBOTT will thank the writer for advertising his ignorance of a matter which is an open secret throughout the Dominion. But if our representatives are not going to secure additional appropriations for harbor improvements, they are at least going to secure a drill shed for Victoria, which architecturally will be "creditable alike to the Government and the city." Twenty thousand dollars for a drill-shed, $6000 for harbor improvements, the drill-shed architecturally designed to correspond with the artistic predilections of Victoria's god of war. Somewhere we have read, "millions for defence but not a cent for tribute!" Victoria's representatives should adopt for their motto this famous saying, barring the last clause, using as a substitute, "but not a cent for commerce!" An ovation awaits Victoria's representatives when they return, and the concluding feature of the business, the banquet, will be, or should be, held on the Mud Lark.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

One of these days we shall have quite a number of questions for the Colonist to answer. Besides the question: "Did or did not the Department of Education mark poor Latin scholars up and proficient Latin scholars down," we would ask the Colonist what it thinks of NICK. CONNOLLY?

The Colonist has apparently convinced itself and would like to convince others that MURPHEY'S evidence re LANGEVIN and MCGREEVY is entirely unsupported. If the letters of THOMAS MCGREEVY, MICHAEL CONNOLLY and PATRICK LARKIN and the memoranda of Mr. PERLEY had not been published, our neighbor might have a chance of success, but surely these documents are entitled to some consideration as evidence, unless it is shown that they are not authentic—and no attempt has so far been made to impeach them. In nearly all the letters there are references to division of the spoils with some persons outside the firm, and few people are innocent enough to believe that MURPHY was allowed by the other partners to quietly pocket the sums intended for the "friends" of whom MICHAEL CONNOLLY and PATRICK LARKIN so often spoke. Besides, as we have before said, PERLEY'S confession is very strong confirmation of MURPHY'S whole story. Further corroboration has come in the statements of Mr. VALIN, as furnished in our Ottawa despatches of yesterday. That gentleman was the confidential friend and coadjutor of THOMAS MCGREEVY and Sir HECTOR LANGEVIN, and the accused parties will find it hard to discredit his testimony.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

AQUATICS.

Will the secretary please attend to the following, which has been received by General Secretary Lindley of the late celebration?

ANACORTES, July 11, 1891.

To the Secretary of the Victoria Yacht Club:

Dear Sir—I have been requested on behalf of the newly organized Yacht Club of this city, to write you and enquire if you would kindly send us a copy of your rules and other information, such as would be of use in a new organization of this kind.

Will you have the kindness to answer at your earliest convenience, as I would like to report hearing from you at our next meeting, which takes place July 18th. P. F. JOHNSON,
P.O. Box 7. Secretary.

PEDESTRIANISM.

The 200 yard race at the Driving Park this afternoon between Gibson and Saunders resulted in a victory for the former by a few feet. The race was for $2000 a side. The spectators were disgusted, and are emphatic in declaring that the race was sold.

SLAVIN IS AN AUSTRALIAN.

Frank P. Slavin, the Australian pugilist, finding no one ready to fight him, has entered into an agreement for a walking match with Chas. Powell, the champion pedestrian, well known for his triumphs in the United States. According to the agreements the parties are to run or walk 200 miles for $1000 a side. The match is to take place on the 20th of August. There will be great curiosity to see how the prize fighter will acquit himself as a pedestrian, and the singularity of the match attracts widespread attention.

CRICKET

GOOD CRICKET.

The Germantown, Pa., cricket club, yesterday, defeated the Rosedale club of Toronto. The Rosedale's total was 59, and Germantown's, for three wickets, 272. G. O. Patterson, of the visitors' team, scored 146 runs, not out.

CYCLING.

A party of the Wanderers will leave town to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock for Goldstream.

There is some talk of making records soon, and the practicing that goes on at the Hill every evening points to something in that direction at the next races.

A resolution in favor of unrestricted reciprocity between the United States and Canada has been adopted by the provincial legislature of Prince Edward Island.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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School Trustees.

The first meeting of the new board of school trustees will be held on Monday evening next, at the City Hall.

We Told You So.

Sugar, 16 pounds for $1; flour, per sack, $1.40; creamery butter per pound, 25, at Wm. Eckert's, 106 Yates street.

Dissolution of Partnership.

The firm of Dalby, Ballentyne & Claxton has been dissolved. The business will be continued by Dalby & Claxton, Mr. Ballentyne retiring.

Arrived O. K.

A fine stock of Razor strops; a complete line of shaving materials, etc. Pocket Cutlery, Scissors, Table Cutlery direct from Sheffield, at Fox's, 78 Government street. Call and examine.

Twins.

The well known contractor, Thomas Catterall, is in more than his wanted good humor to-day, having become the father of twins, both boys. Mr. Catterall is now the happy father of nine children.

Postoffice Changes.

The following changes have been made in postoffices in British Columbia: New offices opened—Balfour and Trail Creek. Departure Boy office, Alberni, has been closed and Johnson's Landing has been changed to Dewdney.

For the South.

The steamer Umatilla sailed for San Francisco this morning with the following passengers from this port: F. G. Keens, wife and family, Miss Stoltz, G. Rubens, J. Rubens, E. A. Morris, A. McCarthy, E. Beswick, H. E. Pennell, Mrs. C. W. Smith, Mrs. Campbell and Wm. Hamilton.

Delivered Free.

The San Francisco Examiner, S. F. Call, S. F. Chronicle, Seattle Post-Intelligencer, Seattle Telegraph, Portland Oregonian, or any other papers or periodicals, will be delivered free, by applying at the "Victoria News Agency," Kerr & Begg, Booksellers and Stationers, 45 Government street. j62w

A New Temperance Paper.

"The Good Templar Echo" is the title of a new publication at Vancouver. As its name signifies it is devoted to the interests of temperance. It is to be published monthly, and though its first number would seem to be a little too ambitious, there is an opening for such a publication if conducted on a purely provincial basis.

Reception in Portland

Supreme Grand Master Workman Kinsley, who has been in the city during the Grand Lodge A.O.U.W. session, left for Portland last evening with the other delegates. On his arrival in Portland he will be tendered a grand reception by the order in that city. The newly elected Grand Lodge officers will also be welcomed.

The Ocean Dock.

The work of filling in and dredging at the new outer dock will commence in a few days. The breakwater is now nearly completed, and the men are at work building a wide roadway, on which the clamshell used for emptying the scows filled by the dredger will stand. More than enough dirt will be dredged out to fill in the new dock.

The Grotto.

There will be a grand opening at the Grotto, on Trounce Avenue this evening. The Grotto has just been refitted on a most expensive and elaborate style, the fixtures being the most valuable on the coast north of San Francisco. The number of cases of champagne taken into the Grotto to-day would indicate that the rechristening will be on a most generous scale.

Bound for Alaska.

The steamer Mexico arrived from the Sound at 7 o'clock this morning and sailed at 10:30 for Alaskan points. She has on board 110 excursionists bound north to see the wonders of Alaska. She had on board 500 tons of freight and 35 head of beef cattle. The latter are for Juneau. Among the passengers was Hon. Erastus Corning, one of the most prominent democrats of the East.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held on Monday evening at 8 o'clock in Temperance Hall, Pandora street, when reports of the year's work will be given interspersed with good music and recitations. Refreshments will be served. All interested in Temperance work are cordially invited to attend. A collection in aid of the funds will be taken up.

Whiskey Stealing Case.

Campbell and Morland the two men charged with stealing five bottles of whiskey from the freight on the steamer Yosemite while on her way from Vancouver, were up before Edward Johnson, S. M., in the Provincial court this morning. The freight clerk of the steamer deposed that he found the box broken and that the prisoners were drunk. They were remanded until Monday.

His Honor's Guests.

His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Nelson and Mrs. Nelson last evening entertained the following ladies and gentlemen at dinner: Hon. Justice and Mrs. Walkem, Miss Rhodes, Hon. Justice. Mrs. Crease and Miss Crease, Hon. Justice, Mrs. Drake and Miss Drake, Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, Sir Joseph and Lady Trutch, Hon. P. and Mrs. O'Reilly, Miss O'Reilly, Mrs. James Baker, Captains Jones, Ogilvie and Palmer and H. Stanton.

Resolution of Regret.

At a meeting of the congregation of the R. E. Church held last evening, Right Rev. Bishop Cridge in the chair the following resolution was unanimously adopted: Resolved—That this congregation sincerely regrets the severance of their pastoral relations with the Rev. Dr. Reid, and hereby tender him an expression of their sincere appreciation of his faithful ministrations among them these five years past, and adds thereto their heartfelt prayers that the Divine blessing may be abundantly vouchsafed to him in any sphere of labor to which he may be called.

Go to Tom Graham's

For bargains in Clothing and Gent's Furnishings, next to Cheapside, Government street.

Make no Mistake.

All watches (however complicated) left in the hands of Jackson & Mylius, the jewelers, will be carefully attended to with dispatch. All work guaranteed. Read our advertisement.

The Place to go to.

To make room for our new stock of goods that is coming, we will sell the stock in hand consisting of gent's furnishing, etc., at prices that have no equal. Our children's jersey suits will all be sold at cost. Lion Gent's Furnishing House, 74 Yates street.

Cedar Hill.

All are going to the "costume concert" to be held next Wednesday evening at 8:30. Parties from the city can take advantage of conveyances from the cathedral school at 7:30, and Cedar Hill has been always remarkable for interesting entertainments and unlimited hospitality. Do not forget the 22nd instant.

Music at the Hill.

The following programme will be discoursed at the Park to-morrow afternoon:—

March—Victoria Press	Collins
Overture—Athletics	Keisler
Medley—Venus Reigen	Gunge
Selection—Boccaccio	Suppe
Fantasia—Irish Melodies	Bennet
Potpourie—From Dawn to Twilight	Casey
Medley—Kentucky Jubilee	Carner
Selection—Recollection of the Opera	Beyer
God Save the Queen	

E. PUEGNIER, Conductor.

Off for the Cape.

As a sign of the appreciation of Victorians of the enterprise of the Union Pacific Railway in running the steamer Olympian to the Cape this afternoon it need only be said that the steamer was crowded. Over 600 ladies and gentlemen boarded the steamer at 1:30 this afternoon and started on their pleasant trip down the Straits. The steamer was just comfortably loaded, so that all must now be enjoying themselves.

Captured by Cupid.

Recently, in the City of Kingston, a very interesting and pretty wedding took place, the contracting parties being Miss Annie Burrows and Dr. John Waddell, professor of Natural Science at the Royal Military College. Rev. F. W. Dobbs, father of the Rev. C. E. Dobbs, of this city, performed the ceremony. Over 100 guests, including the gentlemen cadets of the college, were present at the wedding breakfast. The presents were both costly and handsome; one, an epergne of several storeys and pink flowers, being exceptionally beautiful.

A Very Narrow Escape.

Mr. J. H. Brownlee escaped with his life last evening in a manner that bordered on the miraculous. He had driven out to Mount Tolmie with a frisky team, which he tied to the fence while he transacted some business with the surveyors. On his return to the team he was fixing some part of the harness between the animals when one of them bolted. The other joined in, and Mr. Brownlee was given the bare possibility of "catching on." He was dragged for some distance, but marvellously got from between the flying horses with only a few bruises and a partially sprained ankle and wrist. The team got caught in the brush and were recovered without damage.

First to Conquer Mt. Baker.

Victor Lowe and his party were not the first to conquer Mount Baker. This statement is made by Mr. David A. N. Ogilvie, who substantiates his position by Harper's New Monthly Magazine, No. 234, of November, 1869. Therein is given an account of the ascent of Mount Baker in August, 1868 by E. T. Coleman, Captain Thomas Stratton, Hon. John Tennant and David A. N. Ogilvy. The last named is at present a resident of Victoria and is connected with the police department. Mr. Ogilvy has all the papers and dates to prove the truth of that which he states, so that after all Mount Baker was conquered 23 years ago, before Mr. Lowe and his party probably ever thought of ascending the giant.

An Old, Familiar Face.

Philip Chalk has returned home. He has become slightly indisposed after a trip abroad and came into the police court this morning looking as though he had been endeavoring to drown his woes in alcohol or some other drug. He smiled benignly at the bench and murmured something about being glad to see old faces and scenes. Philip was a little flushed about the face, probably with his characteristic modesty, as he looked around and told the court that he would be found at home in his Topaz avenue mansion for a month from the present date. He left the court warbling "Home Sweet Home." John Bowan, delighted to be in such distinguished company, followed him at a respectful distance, and Thomas Davis and Duncan Webb, who had been supplied the red man with firewater, could not resist the opportunity of partaking of Philip's hospitality for one month also.

The Water Supply.

A gang of men are now working on the trench for the new 24-inch steel water main which the city contemplates constructing right through to the source of the water supply. There are now about 6000 feet of pipe made, but Water Commissioner Summerfield hopes that the city will see its way to ordering the quantity required for the remainder of the distance, 20,500 feet, from the fountain to the lake. When this is laid, the intention is to take up the old 12-inch main and lay it along Government street to James Bay bridge. This pipe, however, is in a very bad state. It has been down so many years that it has accumulated matter that is not at all conducive to a pure water supply. It is intended to tap this pipe when the distance of the 24-inch authorized by the city has been laid. This distance at present is only 3400 feet, to Tolmie avenue at the city limits. Then the water department will be given an opportunity of seeing what is the state of this 12-inch main.

Try Snow Flake Hominy for breakfast. Dixi H. Ross & Co.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

A.O.U.W. Picnic.

The members of the A.O.U.W. went out to Oak Bay this afternoon for an outing. Their families accompanied them, taking well ladened baskets. It is needless to say that a good time was had by all that attended.

Reckling the Dons.

A very funny incident occurred at Cambridge, Eng., last week on the occasion of the prize exercises prior to the conferring of the honorary degrees. The vice-chancellor had just seated himself at the table on which the medals were spread before him. Their circular appearance was too suggestive to the alert undergraduate mind in the gallery, and the staid members in the assembly were startled as a shout rang out, "Have you brought your own counters with you?"

Church Notices.

Services at the Pro-Cathedral of St. Andrew: 8 a.m., low mass and sermon; 10:30, high mass, sermon by Rev. Lambert, D.D., Redemptionist Father of Seattle; 7 p.m., complins, sermon by Rev. Father Yorke, D.D.

The Church of our Lord (Reformed Episcopal). Morning service at 11 a.m. Evening service at 7 p.m. Preacher, Rev. C. E. Doobs. Young men's bible class at 10 a.m. Sunday School and young ladies' bible class at 3 p.m. Bible reading every Friday at 4 p.m. in the school room.

A Gifted Family.

At the recent closing exercises of the Ottawa University British Columbia took no back seat. Dennis and James Murphy, sons of Mr. Murphy, a farmer at the 141 Mile House, Lake La Hache, B.C., particularly distinguished themselves. Mr. Murphy has three sons. One, William Joseph, has already been made a priest and is a B.A. and professor of mathematics at the Ottawa University. His next son, Dennis, carried off the principal prizes at the last examinations; his brother James also distinguishing himself by taking the first prize in the second English also the third form, silver medal, for classical course. Dennis carried off the silver medal for the English course presented by His Grace Archbishop Duhamel; the silver medal for the classical course, presented by His Eminence Cardinal Zingliara; the silver medal for the highest average in the commercial course, the medal for the first English course in religious instruction. These are the principal prizes of the University and it is a feather in the cap of British Columbia to have boys who can capture them in such a brilliant manner.

American Ships in Port.

The United States warship Marion, Capt. Bartlett, arrived off the outer wharf at 2 o'clock this afternoon and dropped anchor. The Marion is commissioned to cruise in Behring Sea, for which place she will leave on Monday. Capt. Hitchcock, of the U. S. S. Alert, who was taken sick while his ship was here, will go up on the Marion to join the Alert. Both Captain Bartlett and Captain Hitchcock leave their families here to spend the summer.

The Marion will leave this evening for Wellington, where she will coal. She will, however, return here before going north. Capt. Bartlett called on Admiral Hotham on the Warspite, this afternoon.

The U. S. revenue cutter Woolacott also arrived this afternoon, she having a small party on board. After spending a few hours here she will return to Roche Harbor.

The officers had a consultation with Consul Myers this afternoon regarding the revenue business. Among those on board is Judge J. N. Scott of Port Townsend, a brother-in-law of President Harrison.

Church of England Notes.

The following are the preachers to-morrow:

Christ Church Cathedral—Morning, the Lord Bishop; evening, the Rev. A. Beanlands.

St. James'—Morning and evening, the Ven. Archdeacon Scriven.

St. John's—Morning and evening, the Rev. Percival Jenns.

St. Barnabas'—Morning and evening, the Rev. Geo. W. Taylor.

St. Saviour's—Morning and evening, the Rev. W. D. Barber.

CITY DISTRICT SERVICES.

St. Luke's, Cedar Hill—Morning and evening, the Rev. M. C. Browne.

St. Paul's, Esquimalt—Morning and evening, the Rev. S. C. Sholefield.

St. Michael's, Lake—Afternoon, the Rev. M. C. Browne.

Tolmie—Morning, Mr. W. H. P. Arden.

Cadboro Bay—Evening at 7:30, Mr. W. H. P. Arden.

The Rev. Shafto Aggassiz is the new rector of Northfield, not Salt Spring as erroneously stated last week. The Rev. W. D. Barber holds an afternoon service in the Church of England schoolroom on the Indian reserve, for the Indians; but white people are welcomed.

GRAND LODGE A. O. U. W.

Final Day of the Session — Victorians Thanked—Officers Elected.

After the installation of the newly elected officers of the Grand Lodge A. O. U. W. yesterday afternoon the Grand Lodge elected the following additional officers: Grand Medical Director, Jas. Brown, Portland; Grand Guide, Sheriff H. A. Smith, of Astoria; Inside Watchman, Dr. McKay Gardiner, Oregon; Outside Watchman, Jno. F. Moon, The Dalles, Grand Trustee, Wm. Armstrong, Salem, Oregon; Finance committee, F. M. Cohen, chairman, Horace D. Rumsdell and E. H. Stolte; committee on jurisprudence, W. D. Hare, Geo. H. Durhain and E. L. Smith.

It will be noticed that all the officers elected are from Oregon. This was necessary on account of the dissolution of the Washington and British Columbia lodges from the Oregon lodge. After December the lodges will be separate, so it was thought advisable to elect all officers from Oregon to do away with another election.

Before adjourning hearty votes of thanks were accorded the local lodges and the citizens for their cordial reception and the city papers for their correct reports.

A large number of the delegates left for home via the City of Kingston last evening, but those who remained over enjoyed the basket picnic at Oak Bay.

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THE LATE MR. MARVIN.

The Last Tributes of Respect Paid to the Deceased in the Funeral this Morning

The last sad tribute was paid to the remains of the late Mr. Edgar Marvin this morning, when they were consigned to the tomb with all the loving reverence and tender respect that could be manifested by a bereaved family and sympathising friends. The cortege left the late residence of the deceased gentleman at 9 o'clock, and reached Christ Church Cathedral half an hour after that time. It was a very quiet and unostentatious procession that stopped at the cathedral doors. Amid the tolling of the bell the solid and handsome oaken casket, covered with floral wreaths of rare beauty, was lifted from the hearse and conveyed to the communion rails by the pall-bearers, who were U.S. Consul Myers, Hon. J. H. Turner, M.P.P., Mr. E. G. Tilton, Mr. J. P. Sayward, Mr. Marvin, and Ald. John Robertson.

The chief mourners were Mr. and Mrs. William Marvin.

His Lordship Bishop Hills, assisted by Rev. Percival Jenns and Rev. A. Beanlands conducted the simple but impressive Episcopalian service, in which the choir participated. Among those present and who accompanied the dead to the last resting place were: Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, His Worship Mayor Grant, Captain Irving, Major Dupont, Hon. Dr. Helmcken, Messrs. Thomas R. Smith, A. W. Vowell, J. Boscowitz, Harry D. Helmcken, Dr. McN. Jones, W. Macaulay Leech, Geo. Byrnes, A. B. Gray, T. J. Partridge, City Treasurer Kent, John Kurtz, R. E. Jackson, Q.C., W. Northcott, Foster Macgurn, John Trutch, C. W. Rhodes, Geo. Carleton, M. Menut, E. E. Blackwood, D. M. Eberts, A. C. Flummerfelt, Captain Jones and many others.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

J. A. Fullerton, of Vancouver, is in the city.

C. A. Morris left for San Francisco this morning.

J. G. Tlarks left for Nanaimo this morning. He will return to-morrow.

Capt. C. E. Clancey, of the U. P., arrived from the Sound this morning.

R. P. Rithet left San Francisco a few days ago for the Sandwich Islands. He will be back again in September.

Postmaster Shakespeare and Mrs. Shakespeare have gone on a brief vacation to Harrison Hot Springs.

W. L. Ogle, of the Gutta Percha & Rubber Manufacturing Co., Toronto, arrived last night and will remain a few days.

M. Finnerty, of the Spring Park farm, left a branch of black currants at the TIMES office to-day that beats anything ever seen here. The currants are large and tasty.

The Rev. Mr. Glover of Toronto, is in the city. He will spend about six months in the western provinces of this Dominion and secure reliable information for many thinking of settling in one of the western provinces. Mr. Glover, through the Christain Canadian and other Ontario papers, has spoken highly of British Columbia.

Staff Captain and Mrs. Simco, of the French division of the Salvation Army in Quebec, are in town. Both Mr. and Mrs. Simco are earnest workers in the great cause in which they are engaged, and their experiences when related here will be a source of encouragement as well as interest to those who consider their work difficult. Both have worked in Switzerland and other parts of Europe, where they have been stoned and persecuted often at the risk of their lives.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

Tug Pilot left for Nanaimo this morning.

Steamer Lottie arrived this morning from Nanaimo.

Steamer Mystery arrived from Howe Sound this morning.

Tug Lorne will tow the Warspite into the dock this evening.

Steamer Daisy brought in two large scow loads of lumber from Chemainus to-day.

Tug Hope left this morning for Lyall river, near Port Crescent, for a boom of logs for Sayward's mill.

Baron Hirsch's New Scheme.

LONDON, July 17.—Baron Hirsch writes that he intends to form a great English company to carry out his Jewish colonization scheme. He, himself, will take most of the shares, not for the purpose of gain, but to secure a business-like administration. He also aims to form a large representative committeee, drawn from Jews in all parts of the civilized world, to act as agents of the committees now forming in Russia, under the assent of the government.

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WANDERING IN SCOTLAND

DEMONOLOGY AND SUPERSTITIONS OF THE LAND O' CAKES.

Origin, Haunts and Doings of Warlocks, Bogies, Kelpies and the Household Brownies of Scotland—Their Nurseries in the Misty "Corries" of the Highlands.

[Special Correspondence of the TIMES.]

JEDBURGH, Scotland, July 6.—The superstitions of the peasant folk of any country are not only interesting in their suggestion of thought, feeling and belief, but through them much of the heart history of a people can often be traced. Scotland is peculiarly rich in these forgivable vagaries. A profound book might be written upon them. Such a book would have much ethnologic and sociologic value. In newspaper articles the merest reference to the quaint things discoverable on this line of study among Scottish people can be made. For it is not quite a year's wanderings among the Scottish peasantry the number of these unique things secured has been astonishing me, and an interesting fact at least to myself was the gradual change in my own superstition regarding Scottish superstitions.

Among the most unlearned of Scottish peasantry there is a serious but exquisite vein of brightness better than ordinary wit and more palpable than extraordinary humor, which, rejecting the essential slavery of superstitious practices save in remote districts, insists on retaining and enjoying the pleasure found in an apparent and genuinely asserted belief in the superstitions themselves. A lingering respect for, if not a belief in, the old spae wife or "wise woman," the half witch, fortune teller and destroyer of spells, charms and blights from the "evil eye" still exists almost universally in Scotland, and one casting ridicule upon her is instantly met with the retort, "The gift she has is frae aboon, an' what he gies daurna be hidit!" though the speaker may have no more faith than yourself in the efficacy of the pretended spae wife's powers. The loss of the charm of possessing the superstitions is begrudged. Thus the weird, quaint things many of which might seem unaccountable and repulsive to us, have become in lieu of book lore a folk and fireside lore out of which endless entertainment is secured.

Demonology and witchcraft in Scotland are matters of too recent record to expect that their weird influences are anything like largely dispelled. Scottish romance and poetry reek with "the deil's mischief" of this order; but the glamor of this form of mental superstition worship is not alone sufficiently powerful to foster and preserve the witches and warlocks to the imaginations of the Scottish masses. There are remote districts in the Scottish southeastern and southwestern shires, for instance, south of the Tweed in Roxburghshire, and along the Solway and Irish sea, where the old wraiths, various and vagarous as in Tam O'Shanter's time, seem fadeless; but the great cradle and source of preservation of all uncanny things in Scottish superstition is still, I am inclined to believe from actual observation and study, the Scottish highlands and islands. These districts still annually send out into all the lowland cities, villages and country side communities great numbers of sturdy, honest, patient, though ignorant and superstitious men and women, who engage in all manner of service. They are truly children of the mists. Their association in homes, in inns, on estates and even in factories with lowland companions effects ceaseless transmission of the bugaboos they have brought from the mountains and glens.

These humble and unconscious missionaries of superstition—ever a brave, tender and imaginative folk—are reared from babyhood to manhood in what may be truly termed a university of superstition.

In their lonely and isolated lives every physical object and phenomenon of nature has a significance of good or ill. Their entire environment is rife with wild and fierce ancestral tales and legends. Their homes in some "auld clachan" in the glens, on the mountain sides, within the purple straths or clustered in the upland corries or hollows, stand on Gaelic fanes many of which are 2,000 years old. The pagan clachan (the "sacred circle of stones") is gone. The later chapels are razed to the ground. But there the Highlander remains in his glenside home standing with the same relics of antiquity lost in the mists of oblivion.

Thus down through the centuries have come the wild bardic songs, shreds of the barbarous rites and echoes of the clang and clash of awful mountain battles, the whole dim, weird and spectral to this grave and silent life, until every grotesque form in mountain landscape has demon shape. Every solitary farm or hollow glen has its presiding evil spirit; every cairn or munhir is the abode of warlock or bogie; every floating cloud is the sable wing of some hovering and awful presence; every cry of bird has special and weird significance, every stream and loch has its spirit of good or evil, and every trumpet blast of the tempest is an undeniable challenge of personified malevolence and fury.

For eight months of the year these folk are shut within their mountain homes by storm and flood. From time immemorial almost the exclusive diversion has been that incomparable nursery of superstition and ceilidh (pronounced "kailey," and Gaelic for "gossiping party"). Here the auld wives gather, and by the flickering light of the peat fires recount, evening after evening the whole winter long, all the harrowing tales their ripe and bardic fancies conjure, veritably curdling the blood with every ghastly tale possible to human invention, and steeping the very soul in the flames of black art caldrons infinitely more weird and hideous than Shakespeare has conjured in the witch scenes of "Macbeth." So as the burns springing from the misty crag rimmed corries descend and water the welcoming plains of the lowlands, the endless streams of demonology descend from the weird and misty ceilidhs of these crofters' ancient homes and render perennial the lowland growth of Scottish folklore and superstition.

In tracing the Gaelic mythology there will be found two classes of immortals. One of these consisted of imps and demons having the power of taking upon them at will the body of man or woman at will, and by wooing human men or women, particularly in holding out ravishing promises of immortality, thus leading them into fatal unions through which the souls of the mortals so deluded were endlessly banished from heaven. The other class comprised semi-immortals and magicians wholly devoted to Druidism and the black art. Whether the latter had existence or whether they were creatures of the imagination solely, centuries behind them some sort of folk really existed in ancient Caledonia. Their wonderful skill in the erection of sepulchral mounds, stone circles and menhirs, and in the working of metal ornaments and delicately formed spear heads was such as to compel on the part of a less skillful and more warlike people the gradual deification of the mysterious race, and their eventual identification with the local phantoms and gods of the earliest historically known people of Scotland.

In the gradual evolution of the fairies of Scotland, whose real origin were in the Finnish sylvans, satyrs and fauns, but who became more propitious to humanity through a natural modification by the sunnier natures of the Celtic people, that portion of its demonology providing malevolent spirits of an impish nature has been largely extirpated. The "man of the hills," the identical fellow found in early Irish fairy lore, was a very wicked gnome indeed. He was up to all manner of wizard harm and made no distinction whatever between good and bad people in his depredations. The olden Scottish banshee, like the Irish banshee when first known, was a most hurtful and vindictive female demon. The former has been replaced in Ireland by a throng of pleasant mannered imps, chief among whom is that imp of infinite humor, the leprachaun. The banshee has faded out of Scotland entirely, but is retained in Ireland as the tender mother of an endless brood of kindly fairies which under no circumstances annoy any humans save those of evil heart and sordid nature, and who are full of rewards to the generous, the sacrificial and the good.

In Scotland all these descendants of the original bad man and bad woman of "the hills" have within the last two or three centuries come under the general appellation of the "brownies." These are possessed of every good and evil characteristic qualification and power occasion may require in their elfish relations with men. They are variously known also as "those restless folk," "men of peace" and "guid neibors." The name "fairy" and "elf," though certainly sweet in sound, is extremely distasteful to the Scottish "wee folk," as we have it on the authority of a rhyme one of their own number is said to have provided for settling the matter:

Gin ye ca' me imp or elf,
I rede ye look weel to yourself!
Gin ye ca' me fairy,
I'll work ye muckle tarrie (trouble);
Gin guid neibor ye ca' me,
Then guid neibor I will be;
But gin ye ca' me seelie wicht (merrymank),
I'll be your freend baith day and nicht.

But "brownies" they remain, despite these express commands. This term is generic and covers all sprites and fairy powers of good or ill. Still, they seem in the popular mind to comprise several divisions. There is certainly an intermediate class of spirits residing in the air to whose agency floods, storms and tempests are ascribed by the Scottish lowly, though they possess no distinctive title. Then there are the mermaids, the kelpies of the south and the water bulls and horses of the north, of the lochs and streams, as stoutly believed in by the peasantry who now live, beside them as they were centuries ago. And the "brownies," as a body, seem to be divided into those whose engagements are of a general nature and those whose duties are strictly confined to affairs of the household.

Those mephitic elfs and spirits of the air which control the vagaries of Scottish weather have much to attend to and account for. They are not only constantly employed in dispensing fogs, mists and tempests, but unless their wishes have been invoked and directions duly followed, all structures, especially churches and dwellings, are liable to destruction. It was not very long ago that the sites of many historic structures in Scotland had their origin in this sort of interference. Work upon the ancient church of Old Deer, in Aberdeenshire, was constantly interfered with by the "restless folk" until its site was changed from the hill of Biasan to Taptillery, at the express command of "the Spirit of the River" there. Every time work was begun on the walls of Manldslie castle, in Lanarkshire, what was completed by day was razed by the fairies at night, until a voice from the debris repeating,

Big (build) the house where it should be.
Big it on Maul's Lee,

was heeded, when the fairies themselves aided in the completion of the castle. A precisely similar action of the fairies accounts for the building of the castle of Melgund, in Forfarshire, on low ground, veritably in a bog, rather than on a neighboring hill. The castle of Cowthally, Lanarkshire, remains where it stands today, because the fairies, defying the first Somerville, who had taken it by storm, in his efforts to destroy the old castle and build a more imposing one on a new site, actually "dung down at nicht" every stone his workmen laid during the day, until the stubborn nobleman desisted and restored the old castle on its original foundations of iron, for which the fairies had some sort of a liking. And as evidence that these wee folk are still exercising their sway, I personally know of the changing of seven croft home sites in Inverness and Ross shires during the past four years, and one in Aberdeenshire within a year, on account of their peasant owners' absolute belief that they have received such elfin commands.

As to the mermaids of the lochs they still exist past all dispute—at least with their friends the Highlanders. The railways, telegraphs and newspapers, like the heartless poachers they are, have "sweeped" or seined them well out of the lowland shires. They are and were both dangerous and beneficent personages. In olden times they were not above giving recipes for brashes, ringworm and other common ailments. Today they have all retreated to the shadowy highland lochs, where they find comfortable flat stones to sit upon, and there, while combing their masses of long, yellow hair, sing in plaintive tones much that is ill or good to be heard. I know one canny auld wife of northern Perthshire who gets along very comfortably through her confidential relations with a mermaid that at present passes the summer season at Loch Ranoch.

But the genuine household "brownie" is the most loving and lovable of all Scottish elves. He is never idle in all good offices to the lowly home of the countryside, where you may never fail of finding him if you do not enter his realm in a spirit of cavil and scoffing. There, in each simple home and heart he sits, enthroned with every attribute of benevolence and affection. He not only works with giant might to assist in plowing the land, harvesting the crops, guarding the grain and minding the herds, but in every little household drudgery of guidwife and bairn he lends a helping hand. No ill can come but that he has fended its cruel touch. No sorrow can fall upon the household whose hurt would not be deadlier were it not for his kindly and palliative powers. And in all the stern though glorious old land o' cakes his beneficent influence adds zest to every peasant joy. They are not useless folk these. If we could only get more of them, with those who own and love them well, through the New York barge office, there would be fewer red flags to worry about in our own fair land.

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UNDER WHICH FLAG?

British Columbia Compared With the State to the South.

TO THE EDITOR:—The TIMES more than any other western journal expresses Canada's uneasiness. "Under which flag?" is soon to become the one burning question of the day. Facts then will be welcome in these columns that help men to think.

It has been my fortune to travel a little, both in British Columbia and in the States adjacent. It has also been my habit to think a little, and I have learned some lessons in attempting to make contrasts between them.

Washington and Northern Idaho on the one side, and an equal area of Southern British Columbia on the other, are regions not unlike in climate and resources, and both are in the earlier stages of a state's growth. Let us first compare their resources.

The British area has probably more standing timber than any state in the union, although it is not so easy to get at as that, for instance, of Michigan. The arid region of the British is small compared with that of the American area. A full third of Washington is arid. But the sage brush lands of Washington are in the main, low plains, that can be entirely irrigated; while those of the British area are mountainous, and can only be watered in small patches. The American arid lands will, therefore, be reclaimed long before the British. It must be remembered, however, that the American area will require a most careful cultivation of timber, to sustain and regulate the streams after the old forests are run through the sawmills; while the British area will never be troubled in that way. Apart from the reclaiming of arid lands, the American region has much the greater areas good for farming; and these will support a great many people.

The two regions are equally well placed on the lines of the world's commerce; and no other regions in the New World have such chances, except Nicaragua. Which of them then will attract the business of the great Northwest Passage? The British route has a complete railroad across the continent, and first rate subsidized fleets. The American region has neither. The British area is immensely rich in coal and iron; and already has a good dry dock and competent iron works. Unless the United States are very wide awake, indeed, the ocean commerce will all belong to their rival.

In gold and silver the British area is probably much the richer, and much the more difficult to develop. Ultimately, however, the story of Colorado, and Western Montana will be repeated in the North. In salmon and fresh water fisheries the British area is good, in deep sea fisheries vastly superior to the other. The water courses and powers may be regarded as equal.

It has been stated lately that the wealth of nations may be expressed by a comparison of the average personal property. Thus the Australian has £48, the American £37, the Englishman £35, the Frenchman £26, the German £18. The Australian average is large because very few people are needed to handle a crop of wool, beef and gold, while the English and American averages are small because very many people are needed to handle equally valuable outputs of wheat and manufactured goods. The raw products of our British area are of the Australian type: minerals, fish, and timber; and will support a small and wealthy population. The Province would become another Scandinavia, but for its situation on the Northwest Passage. This great strategic position will tend to produce a ship-building and seafaring population, and make Vancouver Island a very Belgium for manufactures. The products of the American area seem to indicate a larger and poorer population, and somewhere on the seaboard a first rate commercial city.

Let us now consider the moral and intellectual character of the two communities. Both areas were explored and possessed by hardy Scotchmen and Americans, and we must go back to the Pilgrim Fathers and the early Virginians to find their equals. All but the strongest of them perished, and those who lived to build up a commonwealth have bequeathed to us schools and churches, law and order, and a breadth and generosity of character which will cause their memory to be revered all through the centuries. The American area with a greater base of population to draw upon, is being much more rapidly developed. The pioneers are falling into the back ground, and new comers are everywhere conspicuous. Of these new comers, those who are farmers have developed the interests of Palouse, the Puyallup and other valleys, and built up many prosperous and substantial towns and villages. Valuable mines have also been developed in Idaho. But farmers and miners are in the minority. Most of the immigrants are city men, utterly useless in developing a rough country. Their instincts are to lay out cities, to buy and sell, and especially to advertise. They have generally been attracted to two centres, Spokane in the East and Puget Sound in the West. Spokane is a town about as big as Victoria, situated in the midst of all that is desolate and useless; and, with energy worthy of a better cause, is trying to make itself a railroad and manufacturing centre. The town site is somewhat larger than Paris. The Puget sound country is a tract of perhaps 10,000 square miles of heavy timber, with too mild winters for cheap lumbering. The other resources are not of exceptional value per square mile. Much of the land has been cut up into townsites, and a cluster of cities big enough to supply the wants of a quarter of a million people is feeding upon the labor of perhaps twenty thousand workers. The cities of Washington are five times too big in the present state of the country. There seems to be little attempt to build up a maritime commerce. For the British area the base of population in the east is too small to flood the country with undesirable people. The "wild-cat" cities of Puget Sound will stand in history as monuments of disastrous ignorance of the wants of a new state. Not corner lots are needed, but hard work.

This element of immigration is fatal, not so much by numbers as by want of brains. Taking cities of equal size, let us contrast Victoria with Spokane, making allowance for the past that the latter is comparatively new, and that two years ago it was destroyed by fire.

Victoria has the churches and book stores of a town of 100,000 people; Spokane churches and book stores for, at the most, 5000 people. Spokane newspapers are many, and full of news. Victoria papers few, and full of brains. Assuming that there are an equal number of infamous houses—those of Spokane are magnificent, those of Victoria shabby. As regards engineering, Victoria has the public buildings and business blocks of a town of 10,000 people, Spokane a business nucleus for 80,000 people—magnificent in its desolation. Both cities are well lighted and well equipped with street railways—Spokane leading. Neither is yet drained. To sum up: Victoria is defective in construction, but grand in its moral and intellectual growth; Spokane, magnificent in construction but morally and intellectually torpid. The comparison seems to apply to nearly all the towns of the two regions. I will state my reasons for applying this comparison to both communities as a whole.

In the British Columbia mining camps I have found the Century, Harper's, Scientific American, several mining journals, and the N. Y. Police Gazette in most of the cabins. In the Cœur d 'Alene camp I found little else than the Police Gazette and dime novels. In the farming communities I found but one town with a bookstore, Lewiston, Idaho, a community of Virginians. Of the schools I know nothing, but never have I seen in any country such horribly depraved little boys as in Wallace, Idaho, and the surrounding towns.

Lastly, in regard to law and government. Both areas have most excellent laws, but in the British a magistrate holds office from the Government and is above suspicion or reproach, while in the American he holds office from the people, is nominated in a saloon and is not above suspicion or reproach. In the British area a man slayer is hanged or put in a safe place, while in the American he may not suffer the inconvenience of an arrest. The United States has per hundred thousand of the people four murders to England's one, but in the areas under discussion the difference appears to be much greater. It is the will of the people that a citizen of the United States may slay if he can afford it. I believe I am justified in saying that in the American area a poor man has very few rights that a rich man is bound to respect, the rich having the right of delay and appeal from court to court until the poor man is ruined. I do not know if this is the case in the British area, because there I was never cheated.

I have attempted to define the economic difference between British Columbia and the States adjacent, and have found the former less prosperous but more substantial. In defining the moral and intellectual contrast my estimate is all in favor of the northern area. Remove the boundary line, and British Columbia will become more prosperous at the expense of her moral and intellectual well being. I trust that the moral and intellectual parts of the case will not be overlooked, when she comes to decide between slow but steady growth under British, or perhaps Canadian institutions, and a rapid advance under the American, when she is called upon to answer, for good or evil, that burning question, "Under which flag?"

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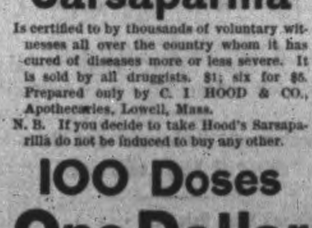

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The new station will be located on Constance street, where, aided by superior facilities for the production of Light, Power, etc., combined with large output, they will be able to offer even better service, at a very materially reduced cost to consumers.

Pending the completion of these works, every effort will be made to continue the past reliable service, and to deal with patrons fairly. Any believing, however, that they have a grievance are invited to have the difficulty adjusted by presentation to the under signed.

je3 LOUIS REDON, President.

VICTORIA GUN CLUB.

The second shoot for the Barnsley Cup by the above Club will take place at the Victoria Driving Park on Wednesday, July 22nd, at 2 o'clock.

By order, O. WEILER,
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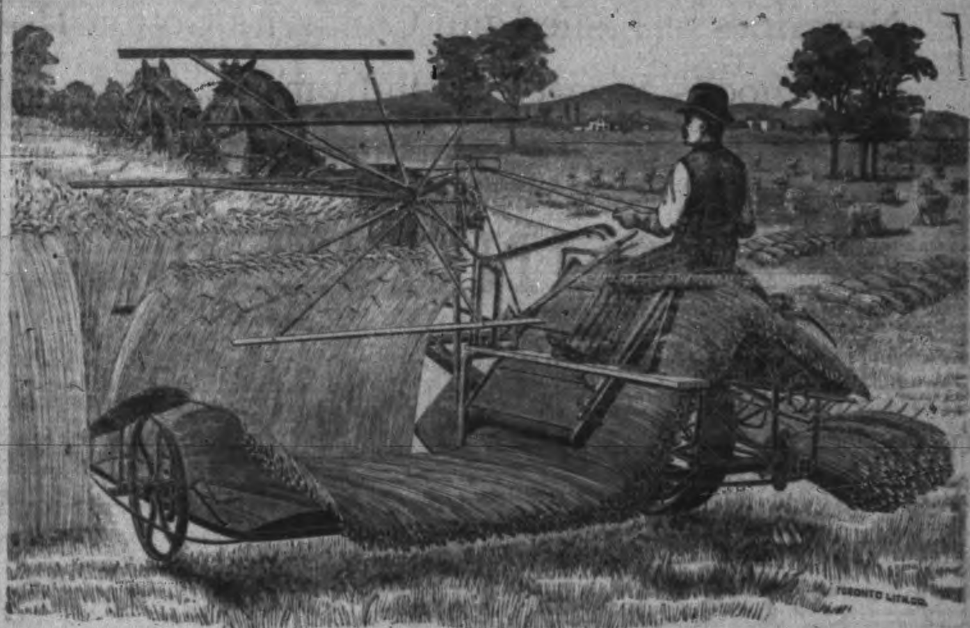
Dec. 30.



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WEATHER REPORT.

VICTORIA, B. C., July 18, 1891.
Corrected by Mr. F. C. Gamble, C. E.

Time	Ther'ter	Bar.	Wind.	Remarks.
1 p.m	62.0	30.14	S by E	Cloudy
6 p.m	70.0	30.05	S S W	Fair
10 p.m	58.0	30.05		Cloudy
5 a.m	59.0	30.14	S W	Fair
1 p.m	66.0	30.21	S S W	Cloudy

Temperature—Highest, 72; lowest, 57.

TIDE RECORD—VICTORIA HARBOR, B.C.

For 24 hours ending 1 p.m. July 18, 1891.
Datum—Ordinary low water Spring tides.
Lowest water observed 1.5 below datum, Jan. 10 and 11, 1891.
Highest, 16.16 above datum, Dec. 25, 1890.

FRIDAY, July 17.				SATURDAY, July 18.			
p.m.	Tide ft above datum	p.m.	Tide ft above datum.	a.m.	Tide ft above datum.	a.m.	Tide ft above datum.
1	6.00	8	8.00	1	7.46	8	1.16
2	6.25	9	8.30	2	6.75	9	2.00
3	6.63	10	8.50	3	4.50	10	2.92
4	6.75	11	8.50	4	3.08	11	4.16
5	7.00	12	8.00	5	1.75	12	5.00
6	7.16			6	1.00	1	5.50
7	7.66			7	1.00		

BRIEF LOCALS.

One Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

Read Erskine's add on fine shoes.

Stockton Frisco flour. R. H. Jamieson, 33 Fort.

H. M. S. Warspite will be docked this evening.

For good value in cook stoves call on McLennan & McFeeley.

The Warspite band made the Hill more than usually attractive this afternoon.

People say the Dominion Hotel is the place for a 25 cent meal. Twenty-one meal tickets for $4 50.

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One of the men working in Sayward's mills this afternoon let fall an axe on his foot, sustaining a slight injury to one of his toes.

Do not fail to see some of those modern cottages that Young & Bartlett, the land and building brokers have just put on the market.

A gentleman from Duncan's doesn't place much faith in the discovery of gold at that place. It may be in paying quantities, or it may not; he has doubts that it is.

Another large consignment of those extra value men's $2.50 laced and Congress Shoes; also $2.00 Oxford, just received at the One Price Cash House of Carmichael & Paterson, 35 Johnson street.

The road between Shawnigan Lake and Sooke Lake is a little too well shaded with trees to be safe in case a horse bolts with a driver and vehicle. The branches would be all the better for a little trimming.

Two ladies of a camping party at Sooke didn't accomplish the feat of climbing Mount Baker, but they reached the summit of the highest of the Sooke hills, and now they won't talk to anyone who hasn't done just as good.

Mr. Edgar Marvin was born in Courtland County, New York State, on the 14th of August, 1826, and had he lived 30 days longer he would have been just 65 years old. He was the oldest policy holder of the Mutual Life Company in this province.

Mr. H. E. McKee has sold to Mr. J. W. Horne the whole of the stock held by the former in the Vancouver Electric Railway and Light Company (limited.) At a meeting of the board of the company, Mr. McKee resigned his position as president and director of the company.

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Chapter 2: Take Hood's Sarsaparilla
Chapter 3: Strong, cheerful, hungry

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